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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Ick-Dong Yoo et al.

Application No.: 09/846,634

Confirmation No.: 5673

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Art Unit: 1651

For: NOVEL IMMUNO-STIMULATING  
POLYSACCHARIDE SUBSTANCE FROM  
Phellinus spp. STRAIN AND USE THEREOF

Examiner: Vera Afremova

**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a supplemental response to the September 22, 2003 Amendment filed in connection with the above-referenced application, per Examiner Afremova's request. In November 2003, the undersigned had a conference call with Examiner Afremova. During this conference call, Examiner Afremova requested the submission of a Declaration containing information previously filed in applicants' September 22, 2003 Amendment, which was filed in response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2003.

A Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by inventor Yoo is enclosed with the present submission. Early and favorable consideration of this response and the claims is earnestly solicited. If there are any other issues remaining which the Examiner believes could be resolved either

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through a Second Supplemental Response or an Examiner's Amendment, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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